



DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 2816-
050;

Project No. 12766-
007]

North Hartland, LLC; Green Mountain Power Corporation; Notice of Availability of
Environmental Assessment

In accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's (Commission) regulations, 18 CFR Part 380, the Office of Energy Projects has reviewed the application for a new license for the North Hartland Hydroelectric Project No. 2816 (North Hartland Project), and the application for a new license for the Clay Hill Road Line 66 Transmission Project No. 12766 (Clay Hill Project), and has prepared an Environmental Assessment (EA) for the projects. The North Hartland Project is on the Ottauquechee River in Windsor County, Vermont, and occupies 20.8 acres of federal land administered by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. The Clay Hill Project serves as part of the primary transmission line for the North Hartland Project, and is located along Clay Hill Road in Windsor County, Vermont.

The EA contains staff's analysis of the potential environmental effects of the projects and concludes that licensing the projects, with appropriate environmental protective measures, would not constitute a major federal action that would significantly affect the quality of the human environment.

The Commission provides all interested persons with an opportunity to view and/or print the EA via the Internet through the Commission's Home Page (<http://www.ferc.gov>) using the "eLibrary" link. Enter the docket number, excluding the last three digits in the docket number field, to access the document. For assistance, contact FERC Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or toll-free at (866) 208-3676, or for TTY, (202) 502-8659.

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